

## SURCHARGE RATE CALCULATION

Conn. Agencies Regs. §28-24-10(c) prescribes a progressive wireline service schedule that is used by the Authority when calculating the E-911 monthly assessment for customer accounts with multiple lines. Pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. §16-256g, the E-911 surcharge progressive rate schedule does not apply to wireless service. The regulation provides that if the number of access lines:

1. equals one, then the assessment factor shall be 1.0;
2. equals two, then the assessment factor shall be .75;
3. equals three, then the assessment factor shall be .67;
4. equals four or five, then the assessment factor shall be .60;
5. equals six, seven, eight, nine or ten, then the assessment factor shall be .50;
6. equal to or greater than eleven but less than 26, then the assessment factor shall be .40;
7. equal to or greater than 26 but less than 51, then the assessment factor shall be .33;
8. equal to or greater than 51 but less than 100, then the assessment factor shall be .25; and
9. equal to or greater than 100, then the assessment factor shall be .20

Based on the budget requirements and anticipated revenues, the Authority concludes that the surcharge for the FY 2020/21 should be \$0.68. Conn. Agencies Regs. §28-24-10(a) requires that each wireline telephone, and VoIP company providing local telephone service assess a fee against each of its subscribers. Accordingly, all local exchange service, VoIP and CMRS subscribers are assessed a portion of the state's E-911 program expenses in the following amounts:

# of Wireline/VoIP/Access Lines	Per-Line Assessment
1	\$0.68
2	\$0.51
3	\$0.46
4 or 5	\$0.41
6-10	\$0.34
11-25	\$0.27
26-50	\$0.22
51-99	\$0.17
100+	\$0.10

Wireless Per Number Assessment Telephone Numbers \$0.68

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The majority of companies responded to the Authority's interrogatories dated February 4, 2020 that requested subscriber line counts in this docket; however, several companies did not. The companies that did not provide responses will be subject to the provisions of Conn. Gen. Stat. §§16-41 and 16-247g(g). Each one of those companies is subject to a notice of civil penalty and/or subject to a notice of suspension or revocation of their respective Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity. In addition, those companies that did not respond to the Authority's interrogatories will be assessed at the single access line rate.